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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
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Dear Mr. Helms:

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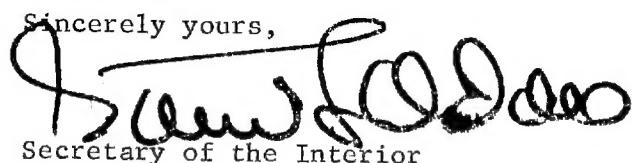
We want to express our gratitude for the presentation made by [REDACTED] of your agency at the National EPGA Headquarters Training Conference on March 7. Many of the participants spontaneously informed us that the caliber of presentations, including [REDACTED] was exceedingly high.

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You will be interested to know that we had 210 registrants at the Conference, all of whom heard [REDACTED] talk. Most of these people are oil and gas industry officials selected on the basis of individual competence. The rest of the participants were Government officials with oil and gas specialties or a special interest in oil and gas operations.

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On behalf of the entire attendance at the Conference, we again extend our appreciation to you and [REDACTED] for his participation.

Sincerely yours,  
  
Secretary of the Interior

Hon. Richard Helms  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C. 20505

**\*DOI Waiver Letter In ERU File\***